



HEADQUARTERS NINTH AIR FORCE

Shaw AFB, South Carolina

Quarterly Accomplishments

- 9 AF hosted Maj Gen Neubauer (HAF/SE) and Brig Gen Deale (ACC/A3).

- 9 AF/DO hosted VTCs to discuss CAF WEPTAC takeaways, F-22 training and Guardian Angel Weapon System manning issues.

- 9 AF/DOT attended ACC's Personnel Recovery Conference at Langley AFB.

- 9 AF/DOV conducted detailed analysis of 60 units' semi-annual Stan/Eval Board minutes and briefed the 9 AF/CC on trends and two Special Interest Items.

- 9 AF/DO/LG conducted Readiness Assistance Visits for the 116/461 Air Control Wings at Robins AFB.

- 9 AF/LG helped standardize Airman and Family Readiness Center support to all assigned Geographically Separated Units.

VISION

Focusing the combat / agile support capabilities of all Ninth Air Force units on the current fight, while preparing our Airmen for the dynamic requirements of air, space, and cyberspace of the future.

MISSION

Organizes, Trains, & Equips Ninth Air Force Airmen to meet the demands of today's expeditionary taskings while preparing for tomorrow's challenges.



*Preparing the Force...
Then...Now...Always*



LINEAGE OF NINTH AIR FORCE

Established: Ninth Air Force on 4 Aug 2009

Activated: 5 Aug 2009

Major Components:

1 Fighter Wing: 5 Aug 2009-

4 Fighter Wing: 5 Aug 2009-

20 Fighter Wing: 5 Aug 2009-

23 Wing: 5 Aug 2009-

33 Fighter Wing: 5 Aug-30 Sep 2009

93 Air Ground Operations Wing: 5 Aug 2009-

116 Air Control Wing, AD Element: 1 Oct 2009-30 Sep 2011

325 Fighter Wing: 1 Nov 2012-

461 Air Control Wing: 1 Oct 2011-

633 Air Base Wing: 7 Jan 2010-

495 Fighter Group (Active Associate): 8 Mar 2013-

819 RED HORSE Squadron: 1 Oct 2009-

823 RED HORSE Squadron: 5 Aug 2009-

Operations: As a Numbered Air Force, we are the largest single provider of active duty AF combat fighters in the United States and combat search and rescue aircraft in the entire Air Force. We are one of only two Numbered Air Forces focused solely on organizing, training and equipping as our primary mission. The headquarters assumed the stateside mission of USAFCENT, along with control of its assigned CONUS wings and Direct Reporting Units. Ninth Air Force is responsible for the oversight, readiness, training and combat preparedness of its assigned units and personnel. The emblem of Ninth Air Force is separate and distinct from the historic emblem retained by USAFCENT. The two headquarters are separate, with no organizational relationship.



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SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

**THANK YOU FOR
ENSURING OUR SUCCESS**

H. D. Polumbo, Jr.

**MAJ GEN H.D. POLUMBO, JR.
COMMANDER**

SEC

**COL SCOTT E. CAINE
VICE COMMANDER**

F. H. Batten III

**CMSGT FRANK H. BATTEN III
COMMAND CHIEF**



1st Fighter Wing

Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia

The 1 FW operates an organization consisting of 110 officers, 1,151 enlisted and 55 civilian personnel.

Aircraft – 46 F-22A Raptors & 14 T-38 Talons

- The 1 FW flew over 150 sorties in support of RED FLAG 15-1, maximizing fighter integration, and also hosted a squadron of British Royal Air Force Typhoons while exercising coalition tactics. America's First Team deployed to CENTCOM, was the first F-22 unit to employ the Small Diameter Bomb and continues to lead the fight against ISIS.

4th Fighter Wing

Seymour Johnson AFB, North Carolina

The 4 FW operates with an organization consisting of 578 officers, 3,933 enlisted and 961 civilian personnel.

Aircraft – 94 F-15E Strike Eagles

- While supporting operations in the CENTCOM AOR and exercise RED FLAG, the 4 FW also hosted exercise RAZOR TALON each month as the premier joint training event on the East Coast. Additionally, they successfully held their first Unit Effectiveness Inspection Capstone event under a new inspection system while the 334 FS engaged the local community with a "Pilot for a Day" event.

20th Fighter Wing

Shaw AFB, South Carolina

The 20 FW operates with an organization consisting of 328 officers, 3,663 enlisted and 595 civilian personnel and is host to 9 AF, AFCENT and ARCENT tenant units.

Aircraft – 80 F-16CM Block 50 "Wild Weasels"

- The 20 FW supported operations in CENTCOM AOR with the deployment of its F-16s and combat-ready Airmen. At home, the wing initiated a F-16 demonstration team, coordinated with the local community as part of the AF Community Partnership Program and launched a new resiliency/personal goal-setting campaign to challenge Airmen called "Airmen Up!"

23d Wing

Moody AFB, Georgia

The 23 WG operates six groups and more than 25 squadrons consisting of 455 officers, 4,019 enlisted and more than 650 civilian personnel.

Aircraft – 50 A-10C Thunderbolt IIs, 6 HC-130P Combat Kings, 9 HC-130J, Combat King IIIs, and 41 HH-60G Pave Hawks

- The 23 WG deployed the Rescue TRIAD (HC130J, HH-60G & Guardian Angels) to Operation INHERENT RESOLVE with a 14-day notice and were ready for operations ahead of AFCENT's requirement. The 23d Wing is hosting AETC's 81 FS, the first A-29 Afghan training squadron that started flying training operations in March.

93d Air Ground Ops Wing

Moody AFB, Georgia

The 93 AGOW operates an organization consisting of 379 officers, 2,119 enlisted and 97 civilian personnel.

- 93 AGOW hosted 29 Air Liaison Officer/ALO Aptitude Assessment (ALO/AAA) candidates, 14 of which were selected to begin training as 13L ALOs. Joint Terminal Attack Controllers (JTACs) from 7 ASOS became first JTACs to control A-29 Super Tucanos at Moody AFB in support of Afghan pilot training on 20 Feb. Currently the Wing supports multiple joint taskings for 314 of its deployed Airmen.

325th Fighter Wing

Tyndall AFB, Florida

The 325 FW operates with an organization consisting of 226 officers, 2,443 enlisted and 413 civilian personnel.

Aircraft – 55 F-22A Raptors & 20 T-38 Talons

- The 95 FS returned from a 6-month deployment from the CENTCOM Area of Responsibility in April. The 43 FS will deploy to Savannah in May to participate in SENTRY SAVANNAH as a B-Course graduation exercise. The 325 FW was proud to host Gulf Coast Salute 2015 in April. Tyndall's open-house was attended by 55,000 people and included the USAF Thunderbirds and the F-22 Demo Team.

461st Air Control Wing

Robins AFB, Georgia

The 461 ACW operates with an organization consisting of 377 officers, 1,015 enlisted and 32 civilian personnel.

Aircraft – 16 E-8C JSTARS (Joint Surveillance Target Attack Radar System)

- The 461 ACW (in association with the Georgia Air National Guard's 116th ACW) executed global operations spanning six COCOMs. Additionally, Team JSTARS supported 12 live airborne exercises encompassing joint and coalition training. Overseas, 461st Airmen deployed in support of Exercises Foal Eagle & Key Resolve, where they integrated with Republic of Korea forces in large field and command post exercises.

633d Air Base Wing

Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia

The 633 ABW is the host for a Joint Army-Air Force installation and operates an organization consisting of 420 officers, 1,807 enlisted and 2,516 civilian/contractor personnel.

- The 633 ABW deployed 263 Airmen and supported the deployment of 304 mission partners to operations overseas, to include UNITED ASSISTANCE, ENDURING FREEDOM and INHERENT RESOLVE. Furthermore, they maintained one of five DoD Controlled Monitoring Areas for personnel returning from West Africa in support of Operation UNITED ASSISTANCE. They supported 415 personnel from all services and were mission complete 1 April 2015.



495th Fighter Group (Active Associate)

The 495 FG (AA) provides administrative control of seven geographically separated fighter detachments collocated with Air National Guard and Air Force Reserve Command units.

The 495 FG (AA) and dets consist of 44 officers, 644 enlisted and 1 civilian member.

- The standup of the group's seventh unit was completed at Truax Field (Madison, WI), home of the 115 FW. Detachment 176 is led by Lt Col Jay 'Glib' Gibson.

819th RED HORSE Squadron

Malmstrom AFB, Montana

The 819 RHS operates with an organization consisting of 10 officers, 307 enlisted and 1 civilian personnel.

- The 819 RHS completed construction of a vehicle maintenance pre-engineered building for the SERE Training Support Squadron at Fairchild AFB, WA. The squadron also began construction of two F-15 parking aprons at Holloman AFB, NM. Finally, the 819 RHS is preparing to assume the Defense Chemical, Biological, Radiological & Nuclear (CBRN) Response Force mission from the 823 RHS in June 2015.

823d RED HORSE Squadron

Hurlburt Field, Florida

The 823 RHS operates with an organization of 15 officers, 490 enlisted and 2 civilian personnel.

- The 823 RHS is responsible for the Defense Chemical, Biological, Radiological & Nuclear (CBRN) Response Force mission supporting Joint Task Force-Civil Support through May 2015. Furthermore, the 823 RHS is currently deployed to CENTCOM as part of the 1st Expeditionary Civil Engineer Group and is preparing to deploy in support of New Horizons 2015.

